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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS  
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(Administrative Patent Judge Richard E. Schafer)

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Olympus Optical Co., LTD.,  
Junior Party  
(Patent 5,701,202  
Named Inventor: Koichi Takahashi)

v.

Canon Kabushiki Kaisha,  
Senior Party  
(Application 08/959,285  
Named Inventors: Shoici Yamazaki and Takeshi Nishimura).

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Patent Interference No. 105,341 (RES)  
(Technology Center 2800)

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Before: SCHAFFER, MOORE and NAGUMO, Administrative Patent Judges.  
SCHAFFER, Administrative Patent Judge.

**Judgment - Request for Adverse - Bd.R. 127(b)**

Olympus has requested entry of adverse judgment with respect to the subject matter of  
the Count. Paper 26.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that judgment on priority as to the subject matter of Counts 1 and 2 (Paper 1 pp. 3-4), is awarded against the junior party, Olympus Optical Co., LTD. (Patent 5,701,202);

FURTHER ORDERED that junior party, Olympus Optical Co., LTD., is not entitled to a patent containing claims 4-20 and 28-33 (corresponding to Count 1) and claims 1-3 and 21-27 (corresponding to Count 2) of Patent 5,701,202;

FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this judgment be made of record in the files of U.S. Patent 5,701,202 and Application 08/959,285;

FURTHER ORDERED that if there is any settlement agreement which has not been filed, attention is directed to 35 U.S.C. § 135(c) and 37 CFR § 41.205.

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